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Harold Swiger
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Hamilton, OH 45011

Dear Mr. Swiger:

Your request for waiver of the 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. restriction to open burning is hereby granted pursuant to ORC 1503.18C. This permission relates to prescribed burning between March 1, 2011 - May 31, 2011 at the following locations:

- US Dept of Energy: BASE Corner Prairie (4.98 acres); Boot Prairie (11.8 acres); Eco Park Prairie (3.55 acres); Nieman Grassland (6.1 acres); Outfall West Prairie (6.14 acres); and Yellow Chat Grassland (7.1 acres).

The burning restriction is only effective during the months of March, April, May, October, and November.

As required by the Division of Forestry Prescribed Fire Management Program, you must be on site the day of the burn to oversee the fire. You will also need to have a prescribed burn plan prepared that addresses site information, purpose and objectives of the burn, personnel and equipment needs, smoke management, weather factors, firing techniques, and safety considerations. This plan is required to be on-site and followed during the prescribed burning operations.

This approval does not relieve you of securing the appropriate permission from local or EPA agencies that may have jurisdiction as well, or from any liability for damages such fire may cause.

Please relate details of your planned burn to the local (if applicable) Division of Forestry office. The local fire department with jurisdiction should also be notified the day of the burn to avoid unnecessary false alarm responses.

Sincerely,

Robert L. Boyles
Acting Chief
Division of Forestry

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cc: Mike Bowden

